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There will be a weekly report forwarded during the prevalence of plague, and no shipments allowed without proper sanitary disinfection when needed.

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY.

Report from Fiume—Inspection of emigrants.

Acting Consular Agent La Guardia reports as follows:

Steamship *Pannonia* sailed December 8, for New York; embarked 1,904 steerage passengers, rejected at final inspection, 7. Pieces of small baggage inspected and passed, 2,300; large baggage, 18; disinfected, 37 (used feathers and bedding).

BRAZIL.

Reports from Bahia—Mortuary statistics—Plague and smallpox—Summary of plague, November 1 to December 6, 1904.

Consul Furniss reports November 21 and 29 and December 6 as follows:

During the week ended November 19, 1904, 66 bodies were interred in the Bahia cemeteries.

Causes of interment: Arterio-sclerosis, 2; ascites, 1; asphyxia, 1; Bright's disease, 1; bronchitis, 1; cerebral congestion, 2; cirrhosis of liver, 2; death by violence, 1; diarrhea and dysentery, 2; fibroma, 1; gangrene, 1; malarial fevers, 3; meningitis, 2; nephritis, 1; organic diseases of heart, 5; plague, 2; pneumonia, 1; pulmonary tuberculosis, 10; rachitis, 1; senile debility, 1; septicæmia, 1; still born, 6; syncope, 3; syphilis, 2; tetanus, 1; tetanus neonatorum, 4; other causes, 8.

During the same period there were reported 12 cases of smallpox, with no deaths.

Week ended November 26, 1904, 81 bodies.

Causes of interment: Alcoholism, 1; arterio-sclerosis, 3; beriberi, 3; Bright's disease, 1; bronchitis, 1; cancer, 1; cerebral congestion, 3; cirrhosis of liver, 1; death by violence, 3; diarrhea and dysentery, 8; hepatitis, 1; intestinal parasites, 1; malarial fevers, 3; nephritis, 3; organic diseases of heart, 7; plague, 4; pneumonia, 3; pulmonary tuberculosis, 10; senile debility, 3; septicæmia, 1; shock, 1; still born, 6; syncope, 3; tetanus neonatorum, 5; umbilical hemorrhage, 1; other causes, 4.

During the same period there were reported 16 cases of smallpox with no deaths.

Summary of plague during month of November and from December 1 to 6, 1904.

During the month of November there were 21 new cases of plague, all of which were verified, and of these there were 18 deaths, which, with the 2 deaths occurring during the month in cases which entered the hospital in October, makes the total deaths from verified plague for November, 1904, 20.

During the month of December to date there has been 1 case of verified plague, which died en route to the hospital. This case occurred on the 4th, there being an interval of six days in which there was no new case.